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Appln. No.: 10/038,766

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For: APPARATUS FOR APPLYING DISCRETE  
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Examiner: Purvis, Sue A.

Art Unit: 1734

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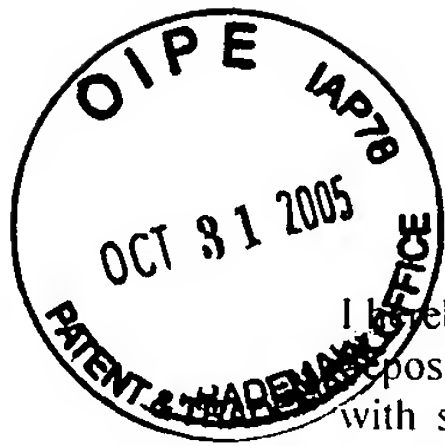
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Respectfully submitted,

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Dear Sir:

In reply to the outstanding final Office Action mailed August 29, 2005, please consider the following remarks in the above-referenced patent application.

In the final Office Action mailed August 29, 2005, the Examiner rejected claim 21 under 35 USC 102(b) as being anticipated by U.S. Patent No. 4,608,115 to